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Please delete the word [protein] occurring after -GM-1- in each of the following locations in the specification:

At page 12, line 27, delete "protein"; ✓

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At page 17, line 14, first use of word "protein";

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